GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Prohibition and Excise Department - Allegations of corruption against Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, the then P&E, I Ponduru and (02) others - Trapped on 18-11-2013 - Prosecution in Court of Law - Acquitted - Criminal Appeal Filed - Expired on 31.10.2018 – Further action abated – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.798

Dated:26.09.2022.

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.804, Revenue (Vig.IV) Department, dt.26.10.2004.
2. Judgment of Spl. Judge for ACB Cases, Visakhapatnam, dt.30.09.2009 in C.C.No.1 of 2015.
3. Govt.Memo.No.48330/Vig.V(2)/2003-21, Revenue (Vig.IV) Department, dt.25.01.2010.
4. From the Commissioner, P&E, Lr.No.Cr.No.26286/2022/CPE/SR-I, dt.10.06.2022.

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ORDER:-

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that a criminal case was registered against (1) Sri Mandava Subash Chandra Bose, the then Assistant Prohibition & Excise Superintendent, Srikakulam; (2) Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, the then Prohibition & Excise Inspector, Ponduru, and (3) Sri Sasapu Sreerama Murthy, Prohibition & Excise Constable, Ponduru, as they were allegedly involved in a case of moral turpitude i.e., demand and acceptance of bribe on 18.11.2003.

2. It was decided to accord sanction to prosecute the said Accused Officers in a Court of Law and accordingly orders were issued in the reference 1st read above, according sanction to prosecute Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, the then Prohibition & Excise Inspector, Ponduru in a Court of Law.

3. In the reference 2nd read above, the Special Judge for Anti Corruption Bureau Cases, Visakhapatnam pronounced Judgment on 30.09.2009 in C.C.No.1 of 2005 holding that (1) Sri Sri Mandava Subash Chandra Bose, the then Assistant Prohibition & Excise Superintendent, Srikakulam; (2) Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, the then Prohibition & Excise Inspector, Ponduru, and (3) Sri Sasapu Sreerama Murthy, Prohibition & Excise Constable, Ponduru are not guilty of the charges and acquitted them.

4. It was decided to file a Criminal Appeal against the said Judgment and in the reference 3rd read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau was accorded permission to file an appeal before the High Court. The criminal Appeal No.305/2011 is pending before the High Court.

5. The Commissioner, Prohibition & Excise, meanwhile, in his Letter in the reference 4th read above, stated that Smt. Ch.Prabhavathi, W/o Sri Ch.Sreeramulu, Prohibition & Excise Inspector (Retd.) (Late) has submitted a representation to the Hon'ble C.M. of A.P., stating that her husband was expired on 31.10.2018 and submitted the Death Certificate to treasury and to all authorities for issue and grant of "Family Pension" and the Treasury authorities has requested to submit Abatement Certificate due to pending of Anti Corruption Bureau Case against the deceased officer. While stating the above facts of the case and forwarding the representation of Smt. Ch.Prabhavathi, W/o. Sri Ch.Sreeramulu, Prohibition & Excise Inspector (Retd.) (Late) along with Death Certificate and Family Member Certificate, the CPE has requested to abate the criminal appeal in the Hon'ble High Court against Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, Retd. Prohibition & Excise Inspector and release the pensionery benefits to the family members of the deceased officer.

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6. Government after careful examination of the matter, decided to abate further action against Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, the then Prohibition & Excise Inspector, Ponduru, as he was expired on 31.10.2018 and here by issue orders for abating further action against Sri Chekka Sreeramulu, the then Prohibition & Excise Inspector, Ponduru.

7. The Commissioner, P&E shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RAJAT BHARGAVA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (EXCISE & R&S)

To
Smt. Ch.Prabhavathi, W/o Sri Ch.Sreeramulu, Prohibition & Excise Inspector (Retd.) (Late), D.No.17-315/2, Old Gopalapatnam, Visakhapatnam through the Commissioner, Prohibition and Excise, A.P.
The Commissioner, Prohibition and Excise, A.P., Vijayawada.

Copy to:
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The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, A.P.Secretariat, Velagapudi.

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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

R. Vijaykishore
SECTION OFFICER